



MR. AND MRS. MICHAEL JOSEPH McAULIFFE JR., now at home on their ranch near Malin, are pictured after their wedding on May 3 in Merrill St. Augustine's Catholic Church. The Nuptial Mass was celebrated at 10:30 a.m., the Rev. John Phelan, officiant. The bride is the former Joan Joy Freitag, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Freitag, Malin, and her father gave her in marriage. Her husband is the son of Mrs. Mary McAuliffe, also Malin, and the late Michael J. McAuliffe. —Photo by Ferebee



MISS RUTH LOBAUGH, seated, was honored by PEO Chapter AU with a farewell luncheon in the Pelican Party Room on Saturday, May 24. Miss Lobaugh, a resident of Klamath Falls for 10 years, six of them as music supervisor in the elementary and junior high school vocal music program, recently resigned to accept a teaching post with the music department of Portland's elementary school system. Although well established as an accomplished musician and piano teacher, she will further her music education through advanced music courses in Portland. She also resigned from her office as president of Chapter AU because of the move. Other members of the sisterhood in the picture with her are, from the left, Mrs. Hugh T. Estes, recently installed as president to serve the remainder of Miss Lobaugh's term; Mrs. Dayton E. Van Vactor, who presented Miss Lobaugh with a stephanotis corsage as a tribute from the chapter; Mrs. S. Dallas McNeil, chairman of luncheon arrangements; and Mrs. Harry R. Todd, who made the brief presentation speech for the chapter's farewell gift — a token of affection from the group. — Photo by Kettler

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BARBARA BLANCHARD, POTENTIAL BALLERINA, demonstrates the perfect poise and balance required in "Arabesque" — which, correctly posed, is one of the most difficult ballet positions. Barbara, 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Blanchard, will enter University of Utah this fall, where she will major in ballet. She enrolled in pre-ballet classes with Edna Howell, local dance instructor, when she was 7. Two years later her classical training began, and since then she has faithfully followed a strict schedule of disciplined practice to perfect the technique demanded of a professional. Love of her chosen art has kept her standards high — and to prepare herself for sensitive interpretation to the audience, she enrolled for dramatic training under Mrs. B. B. Blomquist at KUHS. Last summer her auditions at San Francisco Ballet School and University of Utah earned her placement in the advanced classes. Local patrons of the dance in the audience on June 3, at Mills School, where Barbara will appear in the role of Odette in *Le Lac des Cygnes* (Swan Lake) — will be convinced that they viewed the performance of a premier danseuse in the making. —Photo by Guderian



MRS. R. H. STOKES, center, holds the autograph-hound signed by the 60 friends who attended the no-host farewell luncheon in her honor on May 21 in the Willard Hotel Ponderosa Room. In the large package is an overnight case, also a gift from the group. Arrangements for the party, which was really a surprise, were made by Mrs. Walter Barke, left; and Mrs. Robert S. Wright, at the right. (See story.) — Photo by Kettler



MRS. C. W. MINNER, standing right, was honored at a farewell luncheon and bridge party on May 23 in the Willard Hotel Spruce Room. She and her husband, Major Minner, who has been at Kingsley Field for about three years, left Klamath Falls last week for a two year assignment in Formosa. The no-host party, arranged by Mrs. James Thornton (standing with Mrs. Minner), Mrs. O. H. Kienitz, at the left; and Mrs. Thell Rea, right, was attended by the many friends Helen made while the Minners were stationed here. A large percentage of them were friends made through her work in Sojourners and Library Club. The gift wrapped box contains a monetary bon voyage remembrance "for something you might fancy . . . after you get to Formosa." —Photo by Otto Ellis